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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner Paul D. Marcantoni

: Art Unit 1755
: Confirmation No. 3129

In re application of

PAUL W. BROWN

: A METHOD OF RESISTING CORROSION
: IN METAL REINFORCING ELEMENTS
: CONTAINED IN CONCRETE AND
: RELATED COMPOUNDS AND
: STRUCTURES

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

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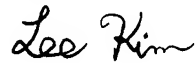
Dear Sir:

In response to the request on Page 2 of the Notice of Allowability for a power of attorney listing myself as an attorney of record for the captioned application, please be advised that Examiner Marcantoni has already received and approved the associate power of attorney that was transmitted to the USPTO central facsimile on March 13, 2006. Ms. Sylvon McCarthy of our office spoke to Examiner Marcantoni on April 6, 2006, who had informed her that he had received and approved the associate power of attorney filed with a prior amendment of January 13, 2006. Further, Examiner Marcantoni also stated that the above-referenced terminal disclaimers should be approved because he had accepted the associate power of attorney.

Acknowledgment of receipt of this communication is respectfully requested, including acknowledgment that the terminal disclaimers have been approved and that the associate power of attorney has been received and approved.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge any additional fees or underpayment of fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account 02-2556 of Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lee Kim".

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